

**CAPISTRANO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
TRUSTEE AREA 5**

SHEILA J. BENECKE

OCCUPATION: School Board Member, Teacher

As your school board member and parent of three CUSD graduates, I want outstanding neighborhood schools for our children. For the past 12 years, I have worked diligently to achieve:

- 28 new schools built on time, within budget;
- Rigorous curriculum;
- High test scores;
- Small class size;
- 32 California Distinguished Schools;
- 11 National Blue Ribbon Schools.

As a parent, teacher, PTA and community leader, I bring experience and expertise to the school board:

Schools: California School Boards School Safety Task Force; Legislation Committee. President: Orange County School Boards. President: California Low Wealth Schools. University writing lab instructor. Supervisorial Area 5 Orange County School District Organization Committee. PTA President of Orange County, Capistrano Unified School District, and Crown Valley School. State PTA Board.

Community: YMCA Board. Orange County Childcare Committee. American Youth Soccer Board. President, Laguna Niguel Woman's Club. Saddleback Women's Hospital Board. Foster Care Advisory Board.

Recognition: Orange County Outstanding Contributions to Education; ACSA School Advocate Award. Marian Bergeson 2002 Outstanding Orange County School Board Member Award. CUSD Educare Award. PTA Honorary Service and Golden Oak Awards. Hero in Education. YMCA Chairman's Distinguished Service. Nominee, Laguna Niguel Citizen of the Year.

Vote for Sheila Benecke so that I may continue to work for quality schools for our children.